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July 20, 2007

Susan Bowling, Acting Director
Department of Health & Human Services
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Columbia, SC 29201

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Dear Ms. Bowling:

I am pleased to inform you that your request to amend South Carolina's Home and Community-Based Waiver for Children with Pervasive Developmental Disorders has been approved. The amendment, control number 0456.01 is effective July 1, 2007.

Specifically, you requested to increase the number of individuals in the waiver from 500 for years one thru three and increase the number of individuals engaged in the waiver. Participant Director. Approval of this amendment has no effect on the cost effectiveness estimate.

We appreciate the effort and cooperation provided by your staff during our review of this request. The revised pages have been incorporated into the amended waiver. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Kimberly Jenkins-McCoy (404) 556-1234.

Sincerely,

Leonard L. Murray, D.M.
Associate Regional Administrator
Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

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ACTION REFERRAL

Re-Log from Wells to Bowling - cc: Wells

TO	DATE
Bowling / Waldrop	1-16-07

DIRECTOR'S USE ONLY		ACTION REQUESTED	
1. LOG NUMBER	000449	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare for the Director's signature	
2. DATE SIGNED BY DIRECTOR	cc: Wells	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for date signed	
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		<input type="checkbox"/> FOR	
		DATE DUE	
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APPROVALS (Only when prepared for director's signature)	APPROVE	DISAPPROVE State reason for disapproval and action to be taken	COMMENT
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Disabled and Elderly Health Programs Group (DEHPG)

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Mr. Robert M. Kerr
Director for Medicaid
Department of Health and Human Services
Post Office Box 8206
Columbia, South Carolina

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Dear Mr. Kerr,

I am pleased to inform you of the request to implement South Carolina Home and Community Based Waiver with Pervasive Developmental Disorder has been approved. This waiver control number is effective January 1, 2007.

Specifically, the State is requesting a new waiver to provide service coordination and early intensive behavioral intervention services to a maximum of 120 children ages three through five who have been diagnosed with pervasive developmental disorder, including Autism and Asperger's Syndrome and to meet the ICF-MR level of care criteria.

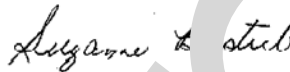
The State intends to provide significant directed services in this waiver. However, the time needed in developing the infrastructure for this service delivery system. The request is to start partial implementation in the second year of the waiver.

The following table shows the number of unduplicated recipients and average per capita costs of waiver services have been estimated:

Waiver Year	Unduplicated Recipients	Waiver Expenditures
1	120	\$26,860
2	120	\$32,923
3	120	\$33,900

This approval is subject to your agreement to serve up to the number of individuals indicated above for each waiver year. If South Carolina wishes to make alterations to this waiver, an amendment must be submitted for approval. The waiver can be renewed at the end of the three-year period by providing documentation of satisfactory performance and oversight. We appreciate the cooperation provided by you and your staff in the development of this home and community-based services waiver program. If there are any questions, you may contact David Mark Reed at (410) 786-0800.

Sincerely,



Suzanne Bossert
Director
Division of Community
Institutional Services

cc: Terrie Morris
Atlanta Regional Office